

Legislative Bills/Resolutions

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 1

Relating to: limiting noneconomic damages awarded in actions against long-term care providers; actions against manufacturers, distributors, sellers, and promoters of certain products; confidentiality of health care services reviews; use as evidence of info...



Other

Original Reporting Date: 1/11/2011

Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 11

Relating to: state finances, collective bargaining for public employees, compensation and fringe benefits of public employees, the state civil service system, the Medical Assistance program, sale of certain facilities, granting bonding authority, and makin...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/25/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 10

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 1

Relating to: limiting noneconomic damages awarded in actions against long-term care providers; actions against manufacturers, distributors, sellers, and promoters of certain products; confidentiality of health care services reviews; use as evidence of info...



Other

Original Reporting Date: 1/11/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 2

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 11

Relating to: state finances, collective bargaining for public employees, compensation and fringe benefits of public employees, the state civil service system, the Medical Assistance program, sale of certain facilities, granting bonding authority, and makin...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/25/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 4

Relating to: automobile insurance coverage limits, permissible policy provisions, and proof of financial responsibility.



Other

Original Reporting Date: 1/20/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 14

Assembly Bill 7

Relating to: requiring certain identification in order to vote at a polling place or obtain an absentee ballot, verification of the addresses of electors, absentee voting procedure in certain residential care apartment complexes and adult family homes, ide...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/28/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 23

Assembly Bill 18

Relating to: collection and analysis of motor vehicle traffic stop information and law enforcement training standards.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/14/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 30

Relating to: delegation by a parent, guardian, or legal custodian of a child of powers regarding the care and custody of the child by a power of attorney.



Other

Original Reporting Date: 3/8/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 87

Assembly Bill 54

Relating to: equalizing physical placement to the highest degree, requiring the court to state the reasons for ordering sole legal custody or not equalizing physical placement, and standards for modifying legal custody or physical placement.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 4/4/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 69

Relating to: the privilege of self-defense.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 6/6/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 94

Assembly Bill 109

Relating to: eliminating substitution of judges in criminal matters.



Against
Original Reporting Date: 5/4/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 122

Relating to: permitting an educational agency to refuse to employ or to terminate from employment an unpardoned felon.



Against
Original Reporting Date: 5/14/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 134

Relating to: termination of maintenance upon the payee's or payer's death and notices relating to maintenance.



For
Original Reporting Date: 1/11/2012

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 147

Relating to: inadmissibility of a statement of apology or condolence by a health care provider.



Other
Original Reporting Date: 10/20/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 150

Relating to: interest rates on payday loans and loans by licensed lenders.



For
Original Reporting Date: 10/1/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 154

Relating to: prohibiting coverage of abortions through health plans sold through exchanges.



Against
Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 155

Relating to: prohibiting ordinances that place certain limits on landlords.



Against
Original Reporting Date: 6/18/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 168

Relating to: resolution of claims against the state for wrongful imprisonment of innocent persons and exempting from taxation certain amounts an individual receives from the claims board or legislature.



For
Original Reporting Date: 10/1/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 173

Relating to: local ordinances, determining the lawful presence of a person arrested for or charged with a crime or certain civil violations, and providing a penalty.



Against
Original Reporting Date: 6/10/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 210

Relating to: implementing health insurance reform, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.



Against
Original Reporting Date: 10/1/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 222

Relating to: requiring documentary evidence of citizenship or satisfactory immigration status for public assistance programs, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.



Against
Original Reporting Date: 10/1/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 235

Relating to: approving premarital agreements.



Against
Original Reporting Date: 10/1/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 240

Relating to: the disclosure of electronic juvenile court records to law enforcement agencies and providing a penalty.



Other
Original Reporting Date: 10/24/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 244

Relating to: restricting eligibility for the homestead tax credit.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 12/7/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 249

Relating to: privileged communications to a school guidance counselor, school teacher, or teacher's aide.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 11/7/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 271

Relating to: ordering support for an adult disabled child.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/21/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 286

Relating to: permitting an employer to refuse to employ or to bar or terminate from employment an individual who has been convicted of a felony and who has not been pardoned for that felony and preempting cities, villages, towns, and counties from adopting...

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/12/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 307

Relating to: suspension of operating privilege or registration for unsatisfied judgment for damages arising out of a motor vehicle accident.

**For**

Original Reporting Date: 12/7/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 312

Relating to: implementing federal health insurance law changes.

**For**

Original Reporting Date: 10/8/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 396

Relating to: relinquishing custody of a newborn child.

**Other**

Original Reporting Date: 1/11/2012



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 477

Relating to: removing cap on enrollment of Family Care and other long-term care programs.

**For**

Original Reporting Date: 1/25/2012



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 488

Relating to: establishing an assistant district attorney pay progression plan.

**For**

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2012



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 509

Relating to: the admissibility of hearsay evidence at a preliminary examination.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/14/2012



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 530

Relating to: reports on implementation of federal health reform.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/23/2012



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 531

Relating to: requiring legislation for agencies to take an action to, request federal moneys to, and use state moneys to assist the federal government to implement federal health reform.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/23/2012



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 538

Relating to: changes to product liability law and the law governing remedies

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/10/2012

against manufacturers, distributors, sellers, and promoters of a product.

Original Reporting Date: 2/10/2012

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 544

Relating to: changes to product liability law and the law governing remedies against manufacturers, distributors, sellers, and promoters of a product.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/10/2012

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 549

Relating to: adopting amendments to the Uniform Commercial Code Article 9, relating to secured transactions, recommended by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/14/2012

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 561

Relating to: miscellaneous landlord-tenant provisions and prohibiting a local government from imposing a moratorium on eviction actions.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/16/2012

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 567

Relating to: licensure of commercial bail bond agents and bail bond agencies and certification of commercial bail recovery agents, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/27/2012

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 582

Relating to: regulation of rental-purchase agreements and granting rule-making authority.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/28/2012

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Joint Resolution 28

Relating to: the right of the people to contract privately for health care services and health care coverage, and prohibiting requiring a person to obtain or maintain health insurance coverage or to participate in any health care system or plan (first cons...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 10/11/2011

 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 6

Relating to: requiring certain identification in order to vote at a polling place or obtain an absentee ballot, verification of the addresses of electors, absentee voting procedure in certain residential care apartment complexes and adult family homes, ide...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/26/2011

 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 7

Relating to: automobile insurance coverage limits, permissible policy provisions, and proof of financial responsibility.



Other

Original Reporting Date: 1/20/2011

 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 8

Relating to: conforming the state family and medical leave law to the federal family and medical leave law and granting rule-making authority.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/26/2011

 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 15

Relating to: collection and analysis of motor vehicle traffic stop information and law enforcement training standards.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/14/2011

 Bill Text and History

 2011 Wisconsin Act 29

Senate Bill 63

Relating to: a requirement that termination of parental rights petitions be filed with respect to children under eight years of age, and certain children eight years of age or over, who have been placed outside the home for six months.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 7/14/2011

 Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 74

Relating to: eliminating substitution of judges in criminal matters.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 4/29/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 79

Relating to: the privilege of self-defense.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 6/6/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 82

Relating to: delegation by a parent, guardian, or legal custodian of a child of powers regarding the care and custody of the child by a power of attorney.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 6/6/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 86

Relating to: permitting an educational agency to refuse to employ or to terminate from employment an unpardoned felon.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 5/14/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 83](#)

Senate Bill 92

Relating to: prohibiting coverage of abortions through health plans sold through exchanges.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 218](#)

Senate Bill 103

Relating to: inadmissibility of a statement of apology or condolence by a health care provider.

 **Other**

Original Reporting Date: 10/20/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 107

Relating to: prohibiting ordinances that place certain limits on landlords.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 6/18/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 108](#)

Senate Bill 141

Relating to: resolution of claims against the state for wrongful imprisonment of innocent persons and exempting from taxation certain amounts an individual receives from the claims board or legislature.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 10/1/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 173

Relating to: the disclosure of electronic juvenile court records to law enforcement agencies and providing a penalty.

 **Other**

Original Reporting Date: 10/24/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 270](#)

Senate Bill 175

Relating to: restricting eligibility for the homestead tax credit.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 12/7/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 206

Relating to: implementing federal health insurance law changes.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 10/8/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 207

Relating to: permitting an employer to refuse to employ or to bar or terminate from employment an individual who has been convicted of a felony and who has not been pardoned for that felony and preempting cities, villages, towns, and counties from adopting...

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/12/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 217

 **For**

Relating to: suspension of operating privilege or registration for unsatisfied judgment for damages arising out of a motor vehicle accident.

 **Original Reporting Date:** 12/7/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 112](#)

Senate Bill 232

Relating to: eliminating the ability for the Department of Health Services to alter Medical Assistance eligibility, provider payment methods, and other Medical Assistance program procedures by policy and eliminating the requirement to request a waiver rega...

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 10/29/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 373

Relating to: changes to product liability law and the law governing remedies against manufacturers, distributors, sellers, and promoters of a product.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/20/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 380

Relating to: removing cap on enrollment of Family Care and other long-term care programs.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/25/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 127](#)

Senate Bill 394

Relating to: establishing an assistant district attorney pay progression plan.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/25/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 238](#)

Senate Bill 399

Relating to: the admissibility of hearsay evidence at a preliminary examination.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/14/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 285](#)

Senate Bill 416

Relating to: adopting amendments to the Uniform Commercial Code Article 9, relating to secured transactions, recommended by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/4/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 206](#)

Senate Bill 466

Relating to: miscellaneous landlord-tenant provisions and prohibiting a local government from imposing a moratorium on eviction actions.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/16/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 143](#)

Senate Bill 534

Relating to: ordering support for an adult disabled child.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 3/8/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 560

Relating to: guardianships of children.



For

Original Reporting Date: 3/15/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Joint Resolution 21

Relating to: the right of the people to contract privately for health care services and health care coverage, and prohibiting requiring a person to obtain or maintain health insurance coverage or to participate in any health care system or plan (first cons...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 10/11/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 12

Relating to: factors for determining the reasonableness of attorney fees.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 13

Relating to: providing immunity from liability to drug and device manufacturers and sellers under certain circumstances.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 14

Relating to: interest rates on judgments in certain civil actions.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 12

Relating to: factors for determining the reasonableness of attorney fees.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 92](#)

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 13

Relating to: providing immunity from liability to drug and device manufacturers and sellers under certain circumstances.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 14

Relating to: interest rates on judgments in certain civil actions.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 69](#)

Budget Bill Subjects

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Administration

Original Reporting Date: 1/29/2013

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Children and Families: Child Support

Original Reporting Date: 1/29/2013

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Children and Families: Children and Families

Original Reporting Date: 1/29/2013

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Circuit Courts

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

District Attorneys

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Health Services: SSI and Public Health

Original Reporting Date: 4/23/2011

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Insurance

Original Reporting Date: 5/14/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Public Defender

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Public Instruction: Administrative and Other Funding

Original Reporting Date: 7/14/2011

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Supreme Court

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2011

Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
The Public Interest Law Section of the State Bar of Wisconsin has voted to actively oppose the Medical Loss Ratio Waiver Request of the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 12/7/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
The Elder Law Section of the State Bar of Wisconsin opposes the Wisconsin Department of Health Services' proposed Maintenance of Effort (MOE) waiver request to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 11/9/2011

Comments 

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
The Public Interest Law Section of the State Bar of Wisconsin has voted to actively oppose the Wisconsin Department of Health Services' proposed Maintenance of Effort (MOE) waiver request to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

Action Intended To Affect: Rule (by a state agency)

Reporting Date: 10/29/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Guardianships of children - The Children & the Law Section supports development of legislation updating these statutes.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 10/25/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
LRB 2198, relating to health reform implementation. Position of the Public Interest Law Section, 9/30/2011 (active support)

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 10/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Civil Legal Services - Relating to funding for the provision of civil legal services for low-income individuals

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Clarifying that the percentage standard used in determining child support is permissive in certain cases.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Considering income disparity when determining child support.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Drafting of legislation regarding the creation of self-settled trusts

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Guardianship Reform - Relating to reorganizing, modernizing and simplifying Chapter 880, Wis. Stats.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Inclusion of social security numbers in court documents (Family Law Section).

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Legislation regarding Construction Liens

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Legislation related to modifications to the state's statutory power of attorney forms.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Legislation relating to adult guardianship and protective service system trailer bill. The Elder Law Section is seeking changes to Chapters 54 and 55 to address inconsistencies between these two chapters.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Legislation relating to physician orders on life-sustaining treatment (POLST). The Elder Law Section is actively monitoring such proposals.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Relating to the homestead exemption.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Special Committee on Strengthening Wisconsin Families -- Family Law Section.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Surrogate decision making for health care -- Elder Law Section.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Tax Appeals Commission.

Action Intended To Affect: Rule (by a state agency)

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Taxation of Legal Services

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Taxation of Professional Services

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
the Revised Uniform Partnership Act.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
The taxation of nonresident corporate investors in private equity and venture capital funds located in Wisconsin.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
the Uniform Power of Attorney Act.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Uniform Trust Act

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Wisconsin adoption of Revised Uniform Arbitration Act (RUAA)

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

